

**PROVIDENT LIFE AND ACCIDENT
INSURANCE COMPANY,**

(1) Supporting Factual Positions. A party asserting that a fact cannot be or is genuinely disputed must support the assertion by:

(A) citing to particular parts of materials in the record, including depositions, documents, electronically stored information, affidavits or declarations, stipulations (including those made for purposes of the motion only), admissions, interrogatory answers, or other materials; or

(B) showing that the materials cited do not establish the absence or presence of a genuine dispute, or that an adverse party cannot produce admissible evidence to support the fact.

(2) Objection That a Fact Is Not Supported by Admissible Evidence. A party may object that the material cited to support or dispute a fact cannot be presented in a form that would be admissible in evidence.

(3) Materials Not Cited. The court need consider only the cited materials, but it may consider other materials in the record.

(4) Affidavits or Declarations. An affidavit or declaration used to support or oppose a motion must be made on personal knowledge, set out facts that would be admissible in evidence, and show that the affiant or declarant is competent to testify on the matters stated.

Fed.R.Civ.P. 56(c). This language means that if defendant has any evidence to offer to show that there is a genuine issue for trial, she must now present it to this court in a form which would otherwise be admissible at trial, *i.e.*, in the form of affidavits or unsworn declarations. An affidavit is a written statement under oath; that is, a statement prepared in writing and sworn before a notary public. An unsworn statement, made and signed under the penalty of perjury, may also be submitted. Affidavits or statements must be presented by defendant to this court within the time provided in this Order for a response and served on counsel for the

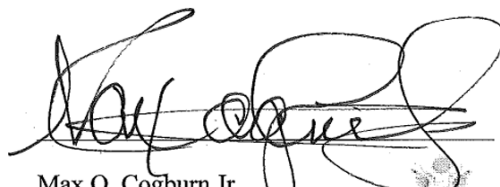
moving party as evidenced in a certificate of service attached to defendant's response. Failure to respond may result in summary judgment being entered against plaintiff by reason of default.

The time for defendant Diane Sanders to respond to the motion for summary judgment has passed. Nevertheless, in an abundance of caution, the court will give defendant Diane Sanders an additional ten days from entry of this order in which to file a response.

ORDER

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that defendant Diane Sanders file and serve her response and any supporting exhibits, including affidavits, to the Motion for Summary Judgment (#51) not later than ten days from this order. Defendant Laura Sanders shall then have five days in which to file a Reply.

Signed: August 10, 2011



Max O. Cogburn Jr.
United States District Judge